


The latter should be the realistic settlement range of that party, not just the party's "opening bid." The settlement range in the settlement memorandum will be kept confidential by me and not disclosed to opposing counsel. I strongly suggest that the settlement memorandum not exceed 15 pages (counsel may file a longer memorandum without leave of court if counsel truly believes it is necessary; however, any memorandum in excess of 15 pages must be filed two weeks before the conference).

The parties are to follow the "Individual Practices of Magistrate Judge Andrew J. Peck," a copy of which is attached.

SO ORDERED.

DATED: New York, New York
January 2, 2008



Andrew J. Peck
United States Magistrate Judge

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